REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Title of Publication: 2013.jpg

Other Known Title: Exhibit 2013

Format: Computer Image File

Director/Author: Not Applicable

Producer/Publisher: Not Applicable

Country of Origin: Not Stated

Language: Not Applicable

Applicant: The District Court at Porirua

Distributor: Not Applicable

Classification: Objectionable.

Descriptive Note: Not Applicable

Display Conditions: Not Applicable

Date of entry in Register: 06 November 2006

Date of direction to issue a label: Not Applicable

OFLC No: 602218

Excisions: Not Applicable

Reasons for excisions:

Not Applicable

Summary of reasons for classification:

The publication entitled 2013.jpg is classified as:

Objectionable.

The publication is classified as objectionable because it tends to promote and support the use of urine in association with sexual conduct.

The publication is a printout of a computer image file. The image presents a partially naked woman urinating in a sexualised manner while displaying her genitals to the viewer. The publication normalises and encourages urination in association with sexual conduct.

The Classification Office has considered the effects of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 on the application of the classification criteria. The classification of this publication interferes with the freedom of expression, but this is an outcome that is consistent with Parliament's intention that publications falling under s3(2) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993 are deemed to be objectionable.